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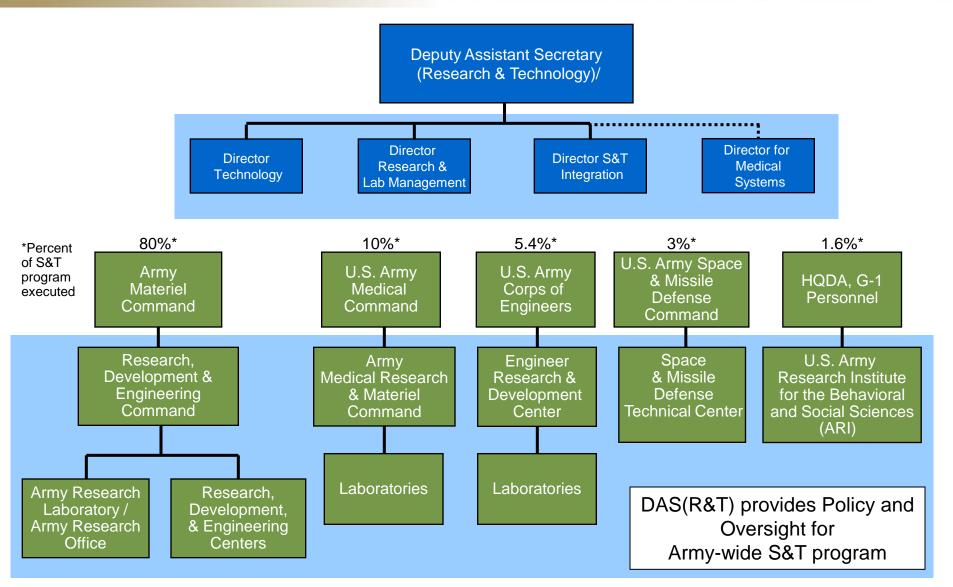
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Army S&T Enterprise



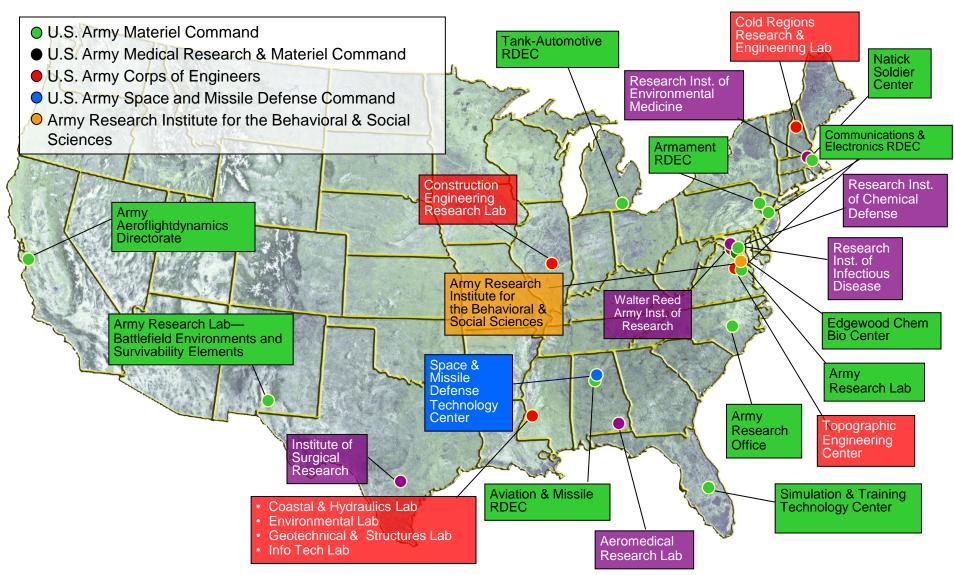
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Army S&T Enterprise Research, Development & Engineering Centers & Labs







Strategy

What Army S&T is Working to Achieve



Fostering innovation and accelerating/maturing technology to enable Future Force capabilities while exploiting opportunities to rapidly transition technology to the Current Force

Current Force



Modular Protective Systems



Micro Air Vehicle



IED/Mine Detection Ground Penetrating Radar



120mm Mid-Range Munition

Enabling the Future Force

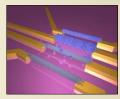


Enhancing the Current Force

Future Force



Immersive Training



Virus-based Self-Assembling Electrodes



Flexible Displays



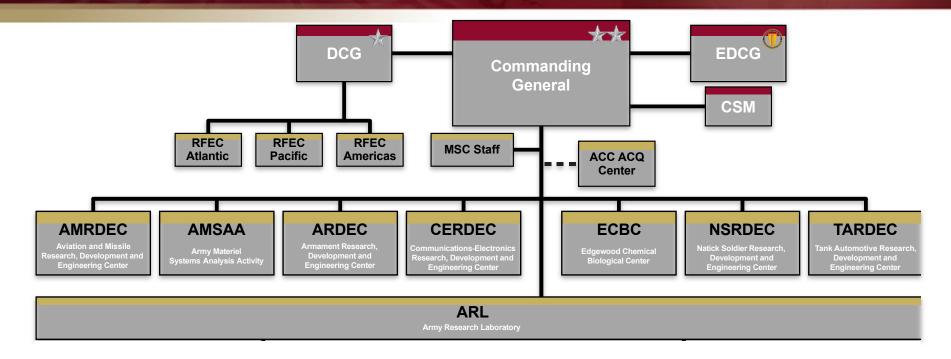
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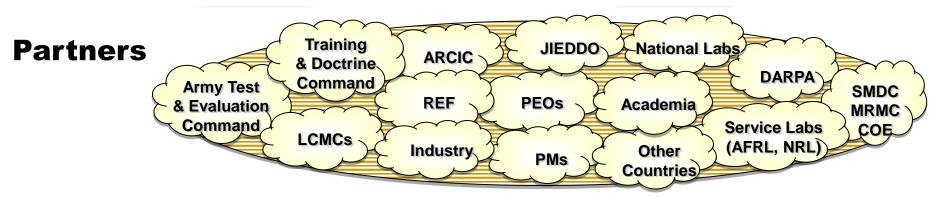




Organization









RDECOM Technology Areas



Air & Missile RDEC (AMRDEC)

- **Engines & Drive Trains for Aviation**
- **Platform Design & Structures**
- **National Rotorcraft Technology Center**
- **Rotors and Vehicle Management**
- **Unmanned & Optionally Manned Systems**
- **Aircraft and Occupant Survivability**
- **Airworthiness Approval and Direction**
- **Mission Critical Computer Resources**
- **Active Protection**
- Air Defense
- **Mission Critical Computer Resources**

Natick Soldier RDEC (NSRDEC)

- Clothing & Protective Equipment
- Airdrop / Aerial Delivery
- Expeditionary Basing
- Joint Service Combat Feeding
- Soldier/SCU Technology Maturation & Demo
- Human Systems Integration Sciences

Armaments RDEC (ARDEC)

- Grenades and Demolitions
- Warheads
- Fire Control Systems
- Fuze. Energetics
- Small / Medium Caliber **Weapons and Ammo**
- Large Caliber Weapons and Ammo
- Aeroballistics, Shot **Detection, High-g**
- Munitions
- Explosive Ordnance

- Tank-Automotive RDEC (TARDEC)
 - Ground Vehicle
 - Survivability
 - Active Protection Systems
- Vehicle Electronics and Architectures
 - Mobility
 - Sustainment Engineering
 - Water Purification
 - Power & Energy
 - Robotics

Military Adaptation of Commercial Technology



Army Research Lab (ARL)

- Information Sciences
 Ballistics and
- Human Sciences
- Materials and Manufacturing Sciences Research
- **Aeromechanic Sciences**
- Extramural Basic

Edgewood Chemical & Biological Center

(ECBC) Aerosol Physics Chem & Bio Agent Spectr/Algorithm Devel

Chemistry & Bioscience of CB Warfare Emerging Threats Science/Technology

- Filtraton Sciences
- Inhalation Toxicology
 - OPCW Laboratory
- Smoke and Obscurants Advanced Technology
 - CB Concept Through Sustainment Solutions
 - Life Cycle CB Materiel Acquistion
 - Full Service CB Testing
 - CB Agent Handling and Surety
 - Chemical Munitions Field Operations
 - Single Small Scale Facility

Communications-Electronics RDEC (CERDEC)

- C2 Enabling Technology
- Electronic Warfare Technology
- Aircraft Survivability
- Radar
- IR
- Counter IED
- Power
- Antennas
- Network Enterprise Management
- Cyberwarfare
- Intelligence & Surveillance
- Displays
- Tactical Biometrics
- C4ISR Systems Integration
- Wireless Transport / Mobile Networking

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RDECOM Roles in the Big Army



Researchers

- 6.1 Basic Research (Novel Concepts and Ideas)
- 6.2 Applied Research (Concept Exploration)



Technology Developers

- 6.3 Advanced Technology Development (Technology Integration and Demonstration)
- 6.4 Quick Reaction Capabilities (Fielded Capabilities)



Acquisitions Support

6.4 Matrix workforce for PM/PEO community

Smart Buyers

- 6.4 Support DoD concept evaluation
- 6.4 Feed to Requirements
- 6.4 Technology Readiness Assessment







External Partnerships



Academia

- 326 university level institutions
- More than 1,200 Single Investigator Research Projects
- 63 Multi-Disciplinary University Research Initiatives
- 4 University Affiliated Research Centers

Industry

- Collaborative Technology Alliances
- More than 450 Cooperative Research and Development Agreements
- More than 600 Small Business Innovative Research agreements

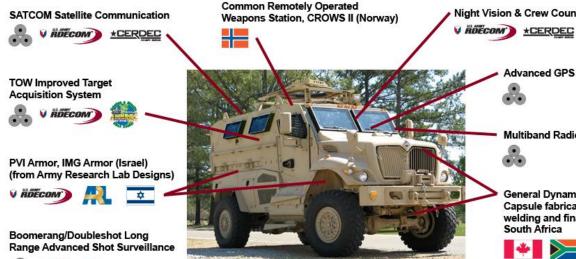
International

- Offices in 9 countries
- 239 agreements with 26 countries

Interagency

- 904 agreements throughout DoD DARPA, JIEDDO, DHS, FAA, DoE, NSA, NASA, SMDC, etc.

Strategic Partnerships Benefit the Army Materiel Enterprise



NSE

Night Vision & Crew Counter Radio



Multiband Radio System



General Dynamics, Canada Capsule fabrication, welding and final assembly South Africa









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Overhead Protective Cover





Objective Gunner Protection Kit







KEY:

*CERDEC = CERDEC



= ECBC



= TARDEC



= ARL



= AMRDEC

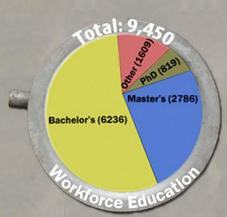


= INDUSTRY









3442 Computer/Electrical/Electronics Engineer 565 Physicists/Physical Scientists	rs
4020 Machanical Engineers	
1630 Mechanical Engineers	
3387 General/Industrial Engineers	
561 Aerospace Engineers	
155 Materials Engrs./Metallurgists	
100 Psychologists/Social Scientists	
608 Chemical Engineers/Chemists	
130 Biologists/Biomedical Engineers	
9 Medical Research Technicians	
368 Mathematicians/Statisticians	
23 Meteorologists	
472 E&S Technicians	



56% RDECOM

11% ATEC 6% LCMCs 6% MRMC **5% USACE** 4% PEOs



From Science to Technologies...Systems 3 Different Types of S&T Investments

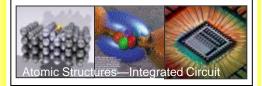
S&T PB09

Development \$8.9B (6.8% of TOA, 25.8% of RDA) Acquisition \$23.8B (18.3% TOA,69.2% RDA)

\$1.84B (5.25% RDA & 1.32%TOA)

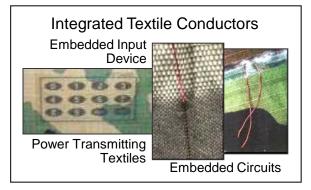
6.1: Basic Research \$379.4M (21% of S&T)

Nanoscience



- Understanding to solve Army-unique problems
- Knowledge for an uncertain future

6.2: Applied Research \$723.5M (39% of S&T)



- Applications research for specific military problems
- Components, subsystems, models, new concepts

6.3: Advanced Technology
Development
\$738.9M (40% of S&T)

IED and Minefield Detection Payload for Shadow TUAV

IED/minefield detection at realistic altitudes & advanced RSTA



- Demonstrate technical feasibility at system and subsystem level
- Assess military utility
- Path for technology spirals to acquisition—rapid insertion of new technology

62% Universities/Industry

35% Industry

60% Industry

Far Term Mid Term Near Term



U.S. Army Research Laboratory



Mission

Provide innovative science, technology, and analyses to enable full spectrum operations.

Vision

America's Laboratory for the Army: *Many Minds, Many Capabilities*, Single Focus on the Soldier

Acknowledged Scientific, Technical and Analytical Excellence

Recognized bridge between the Nation's Scientific and Technical Communities and the Army

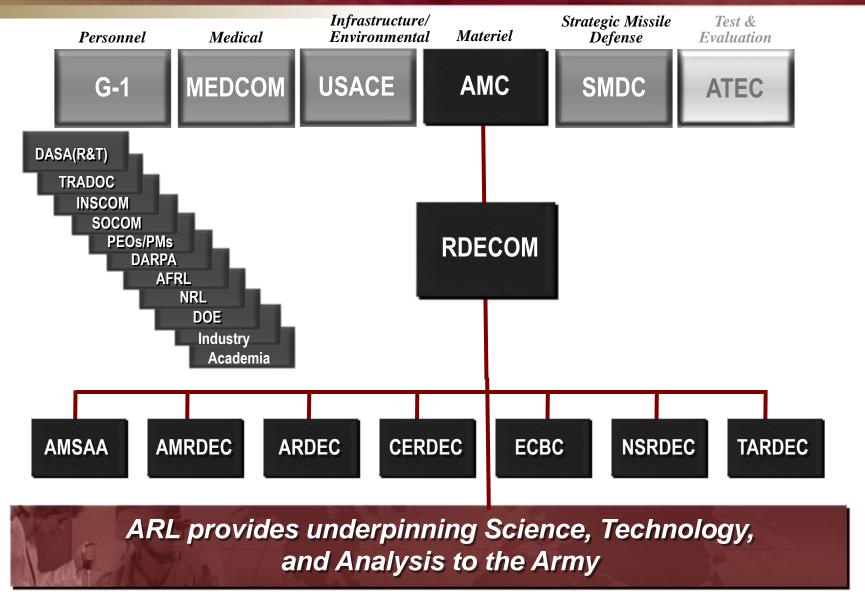
Leader in providing innovative solutions for the current and future Army





Army S&T Performing Organizations

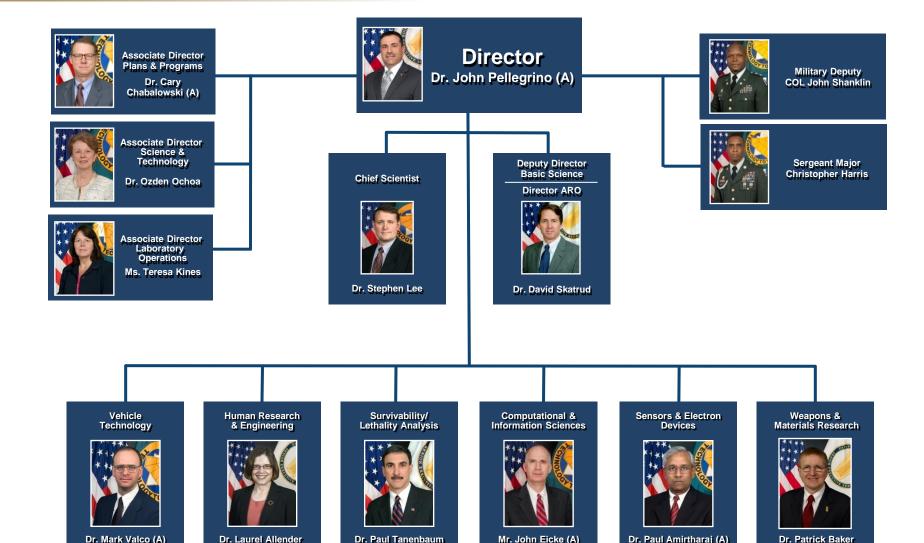






U.S. Army Research Laboratory ARL







ARL's Core Technical Competencies 4RL

Materials Sciences

- Structural Materials and Components
- Electronic Materials and Devices
- Photonic Materials and Devices
- Energy Materials and Components

Ballistics and Aeromechanic Sciences

- Energetics and Propulsion Science
- Impact Physics
- Ballistic Vulnerability
- Aeromechanics

Extramural Basic Research

- Chemistry
- Physics
- Life Sciences
- Network Science
- Environmental Sciences
- Materials Sciences
- Mechanical Sciences
- Mathematics
- Computing Science
- Electronics

Information Sciences

- **Network Sciences**
- **Decision Support Sciences**
- **Computational Sciences**
- Autonomy
- **Atmospheric Sciences**
- Electronic & Info Warfare Vulnerability

Human Sciences

- Soldier Performance
- Simulation and Training Technology
- Human Systems Integration

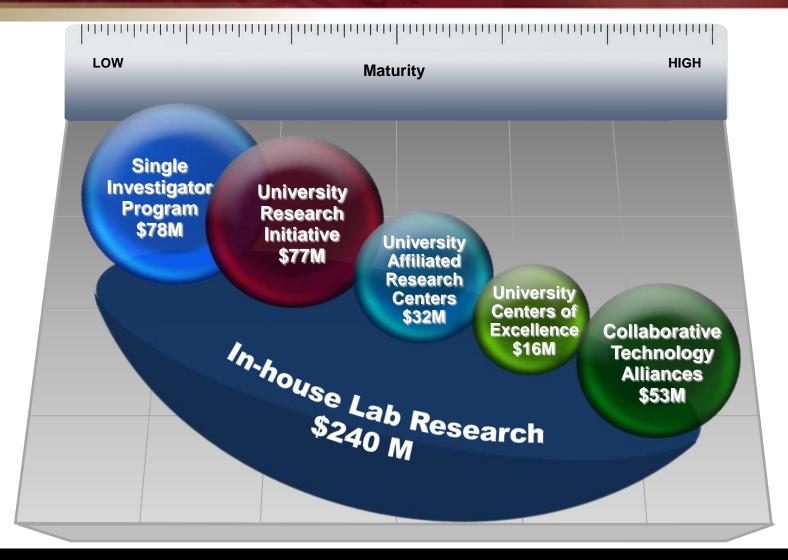
SLV Assessment and Analysis

- Ballistic Vulnerability Analysis and Assessment
- Electronic & Info Warfare Vulnerability Analysis and Assessment



ARL Research Portfolio





Complementary programs cohesively planned and executed



State of the Art Research Facilities











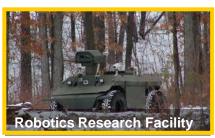










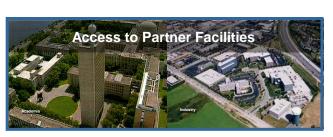












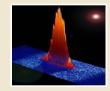






ARL's Research Continuum





New State of Matter for Revolutionary Sensors and Detectors



Tilt Rotor



DEMN - Insensitive Munitions



Ballistic Survivability



IED Countermeasures



Multiscale Computation for Impact Dynamics



FIDO for Explosives Detection



ANS Robotics LADAR



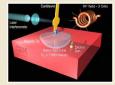
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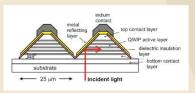
Language Translation



Persistent Surveillance



Single Electron Spin MRFM



C-QWIP FPAs



Flexible Displays



Advanced RF



Human-Figure Workspace Modeling for MRAP

Basic Science

Evolving Technologies

Technology Maturity

Current Ops



U.S. Army Research Laboratory



Legacy Accomplishments



- **ENIAC Digital Computer**
- Proximity Fuze
- Integrated Printed Circuit Board
- · Photolithography enabling integrated circuits
- Special Armor for M1 tank
- · Lithium primary batteries
- M829A2 "silver bullet" KE Penetrator











Continuing a Legacy of Firsts



- Quantum Well Infrared Photodetectors
- Autonomous Navigation for Unmanned Systems
- · Explosive Fill for Insensitive Munitions
- Flexible Displays
- Electric Armor
- M855A1 Enhanced Performance Round









Focus on the Future

Materials & Devices in Extreme Environments

Battlefield Neuroscience

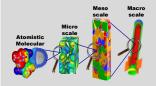
Network Sciences

Hierarchical Computing

Extreme Energy Science

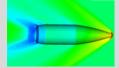
Autonomous Systems Technology

Emerging Sciences













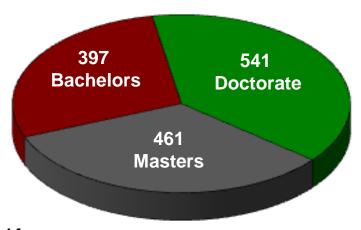




Technical Workforce

ARL

(50% Research S&Es w/PhDs)



1399 S&E Workforce1608 Technical Staff



Technical Staff Disciplines

- 44 Aerospace Engineers
- 10 Biologists
- 4 Biomedical Engineer
- 95 Chemical Engineers/Chemists
- 169 Computer Scientists/Engineer
- 312 Electrical/Electronics Engineers
- 57 Engineering Psychologists
- 101 General/Industrial Engineers
- 81 Materials Engineers
- 40 Mathematicians/Statisticians
- 196 Mechanical Engineers
- 14 Meteorologists
- 7 Neuroscientists
- 53 Operations Research Analysts
- 207 Physicists/Physical Scientists
- 2 Research Audiologist
- 7 Other
- 209 E&S Technicians

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ARL Future Contributions



Influence and contribute to the body of scientific research at the lab and in partnership with the university, industry, & fellow DoD organization community to provide

Unprecedented capabilities...

- Enhanced protection and lethality
 - → multi-functional lightweight materials enabled by multi-scale modeling
- Information to Soldiers
 - --> network science, data to decision, and advanced computing
- Smaller, lighter, less power intensive devices
 - → novel energy harvesting and innovative materials
- Enhanced situational understanding and protection
 - → autonomous systems at maneuver and man-portable scales
- Improvements in Soldier-system overall performance
 - → operational neuroscience and advanced simulation and training technologies



Business Model Key Characteristics

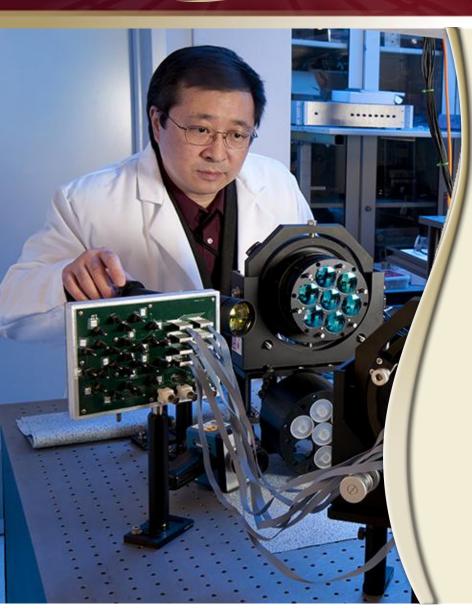


- In-house research focused on critical Army technical challenges
- In-house expertise to capitalize on university/industry research
- Extensive partnerships for integrated collaboration and direction with academic/industry and test/evaluation communities
- Portfolio Planning
 - Integrated annual process
 - ARO/Directorate individual and co-leadership for portfolio planning and management
 - Collaborative program planning and execution with RDEC partners
 - Partnered throughout RDECOM in planning for technology transition



Partnership Features





- Joint planning
- Collaborative implementation
- Research at university and industry partner locations
- Inclusive of Covered Educational Institutions
- Research at ARL locations
 - ~ 75 post doc fellows
 - 236 visiting researchers
 - 250 students this summer
- Sharing of facilities
- Continuous engagement to seek new partners
- Constant search for new directions in science, technology and applications



ARL/Private Sector Partnerships



Mechanism	Program	Academia	Industry
Grants	Single Investigation MURI	/	
Coop Agreements	CTA CRA AHPCRC/MCOEs/FDC PIRT		
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	Flex Tech Alliance	V MINING	
Contracts	SBIR		
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CRADA/TSA	Case by Case Opportunities		/



Partnerships



Co-op Agreements, OTAs, TSAs, Contracts, Grants, CRADAs







Centers Of Excellence

High Performance Computing

- Stanford University
- New Mexico State University
- · Morgan State University
- University of Texas, El Paso
- High Performance Tech, Inc
- · NASA Ames

Flexible Displays

· Arizona State University

Materials

- University of Delaware
- · Johns Hopkins University
- · Rutgers University
- · Drexel University
- · Virginia Tech





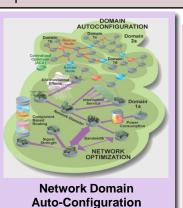
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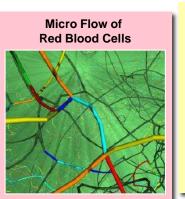


Organization	Comments		
RDECs	 Transitions from mission research programs to RDECS viaTPAs Example: Vision-based localization to TARDEC Advanced Technology Objective and to CERDEC 		
PEOs & PMs	 Instances in which tech transition does not require further maturation by an RDEC Example: Data and statistical translators to PM-Machine Foreign Language Translation Systems 		
Industry	 Technologies developed collaboratively by ARL and its partners Example: Communications & Networks CTA automated network domain auto-configuration to CERDEC and WIN-T 		
Academia	 Transitions directly from an ARL partner center to an Army customer Example: Army High Performance Computing Research Center scalable algorithms and software to CERDEC, ARL, & MRMC 		
Users	 Technology that can be transitioned directly to an outside activity Example: Mobile ad hoc Networking concepts to the White House Communications Agency Example: Modeling methodologies and expertise 		













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